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# Arrivals

Ang. 29, Beyn Ivar, British barque, 382, Dawnall, Kurrachee, July 7, 1872 bales Aug. 29, Candace, N. G. 3-mast schooner 233 Meinschien, Newcastle, July 17, 5000 picula Beans .- WM, PUSTAU & Co. Aug. 29, Kun-Soon-Woot, Siam lugger, 225, Olsen, Bangkok, Aug. 12, General.

Aug. 29; Eastern Star, Brit. barque, 840, Allardice, London, May 13, General.

Aug. 29, Vision, British brig, 159, Cummins, Newchwang, July 17, 3800 piculs Beans, -Hogg & Co. Aug. 29, New Granada, N. G. barque, 330, Baner, Chefoo, July 14, General. EDUARD SCHELLHARS & Co.

Ang. 30 Maria Louise Antoinette, Dutch barque, 507, Muysson, Hamburgh, April 23. General. BOURJAU HUBBNER & Co. Aug. 30, Java, N. G. barque, 309, Magboll, Saigon, July 22, General. — ARNHOLD LARBERG & Co.

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Ang. 30, Ocean Bride, British barque 33, Thelland, Ningpo, July 23, General.

#### Departures.

Aug. 29, Ganges, for Swatow, &c. Martha, for Tientsin. Violet, for Yokohama. Race Horse, for Tientain. 29, Marquis of Argyle, for Melbourn 10. United Service, for Shanghai.

### Shipping Reports.

The British barque Eastern Star. Capt. G. Allardice, from London, reports moderate weather; crossed the Equator on 13th Office and Dinner BELLS. June, in long. 28 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 10th July, in lat. 40 S.; made St. Paul's Island on 25th July; off S.W. of St. Paul's had strong | Christy's Felt, Straw and Silk HATS. gales from W., which lasted for 2 days, Rowland's KALYDOR, then moderate and fine; made Java Head on 7th August, and passed Anjer on same day. Up China sea had light weather until 26th Aug., when had strong breeze from N.N.W. to S.S.E., veering E., which lasted for 14 hours, and then moderated; light winds and calms till arrival in port, on 29th Aug. 105 days out. On 26th July, in lat. 80:15 S. long. 83.11., spoke the British barque John George from Sunderland bound to Hengkong, 23 days out.

The Dut. barg. Maria Louise Antoinette, Capt. Muysson; from Hamburg, reports fine weather; crossed the Equator on 2nd Dr Syntax's TOUR. June, in lat 27.23 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 3rd July. lat. 40.23 S!; made St. Paul's Island on 20th July and Christmas Island on 2nd August; passed Anjer on 6th August. China Sea fine weather until Pulo Sapato when had bad weather and much rain, thence fine weather and light Southerly winds till arrival in port, on 30th August, 128 days out.

The British brig Vision, Cummins, from swohwang, reports moderate weather and ight airs and calms; average daily run for 22 days about five miles per day; put into | Sheet ZINC. Amoy on 21st, inst., in company with the American 3-masted schooner C. C. Leary and Looling, from Chefoo bound to Swatow; left Amoy on 24th instant for Hongkoug.

The North German barque New Granada Capt. Bauer, from Chefoo, reports fine weather and light Southerly winds nearly August, in lat 26.17 N., long. 120.43 S. poke the North German brig Johanna from Newchwang bound to this port.

# Entertainments.

LUSITANO THEATRE.

MONDAY, AUG. 30. GRAND FASHIONABLE, NIGHT.

UNDER PATRONAGE. COMEDIES-COMEDIES.

PERSONATION,

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ROMEO & JULIET, QUEEN MAB.

MARY, QUEEN OF SCUTS. THE GEN OF COMEDY, A MORNING CALL

Box Plan and Tickets at Mesars Lane, CHAWFORD & Co. Hongkony, August 25, 1869.

New Advertisements

JEITHER the Captain or Agents of the British Barque "KILLARNEY" will be RESPONSIBLE for any Debta contracted by the Crew of the said Vessel. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869,

## New Advertisements.

號十三月八年九十六百八千一英

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO AND SHANGHAL Taking Cargo under through Bill of Lading FOR CHEFOO, TIENTSIN AND NEWCHWANG.

The N. C. S. Co.'s Chartered will leave for the above Ports at 4 P.M., To-morrow, the 31st instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DUTCH BARQUE MARIA LOUISA ANTULNETUR, PROM. HAMBURG. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at consignees BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

delivery of their Goods;

Hongkong, August 30, 1869. "BASTERN STAR" FROM LONDON ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send i their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessol will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869. EX "INVINCIBLE."

Copeland's TOILET SERVICES. A Child's SWING. Chest EXPANDERS and DOTOSTHE-

Croquet SETS and STANDS. Eley's CAPS and CARTRIDGES. BLANKETS and FLANNELS. Rugby FOOTBALLS. Brass BEDSTEADS.

Mast HOOPS.

DASS'S Draught ALE.

Fire GRATES, FENDERS and IRONS. Coir MATS, with Fancy Borders. Carriage LAMPS,

Handsome CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHS Perry's Office SUNDRIES.

Baking POWDER and GELATINE. Mordan's Copying PRESSES. Whyte, Melville's, Mr Riddle's, Ouida's,

Trollope's, Mrs Wood's, Wilkie Collins', Mrs Gaskell's, Edmond Yates' Charles Reade's, Lever's, Ainsworth's, Miss Braddon's, Disraeli's, Salem Chapel Series, and other recent and STAN-DARD NOVELS, in paper binding. Chambers' ENCYCLOPŒDIA.

French NOVELS. Schiller's WORKS, in German. Carpenter's SYNONYMS. Anderson's Mercantile CORRESPON

French and English DICTIONARIES.

Dawson's BOOTS.

Single and Double PERAMBULATORS. Horse HAIR. Pickled TONGUES, from Sherwood and

Mordan's Letter SCALES. WHEELS of LIFE. Heidsieck's Dry OHAMPAGNE. Hennessy's one and three star BRANDY. Swaine's Ginger BRANDY.

Henry's CANVAS. Frost's ROPE. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. SHORT PERIOD RATES.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at the rate of Ith of the annual charge, viz ; ith per cent tor any term, not exceeding ten days. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, August 28, 1869. THE following Select and Fashionable THE Undersigned are authorised PERFUMES, have just been opened 1 accept the reduced rate of One Eighth at a monthly rental of \$100, and is covout, ex Diomed and Overland Mail, vig of the annual premium on Insurances ered against Fire to the extent of \$8,000, The Dune of Edinburgh, Upper The effected for any term not exceeding Ten until 6th August, 1870. THOUSAND, and VOLKAMERIA, &c. Co. DAYS. THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hougkong, August 27, 1869. FOR SALE. ULES ROBIN COGNAC, in cases, WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

FOR SALE.

TRESH Californian HAY and OATS. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

### New Advertisements.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR AND

LADY MACDONNELL Mr. W. P. FLOYD

Life size Photographic Portraits Water Colors or Oil Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. HE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took ov charge of British interests at the Ports of Taewantu and Takow, and entered on his luties as Acting Consul.

BRITISH CONSULATE, Taewanfu, June 15, 1869.

AR. GLASSE begs to call attention to a Mas few out of a large number of recently imported articles, viz :-GAZOGENES, and SELTZOGENES, India Rubber SPONGES, elastic STOCK INGS and Knee CAPS, Champagne TAPS for Invalids and Travellers, Bathing CAPS and Sponge BAGS, Nursing APRONS and Feeding BOTTLES, Rimmel's and Bully's Toilet VINEGAR, Spring Top Union Smelling BOTTLES, Flesh GLOVES every description, Boudault's and Morson's PEPSINE, Chlorodyne LOZENGES, Sulphyric and other ACIDS, NITRATE OF

nett's Disinfecting FLUID, Lime JUICE, THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

SILVER, CHLORIDE OF LIME, Bur-

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept risks in the above Company for period of Ten Days on Merchandize stored in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.

In re LOAW-WAH-THIAW, a Bankrupt. TOTICE.—The above named Bankrupt N having passed his last examination the hearing of the application by the said Bankrupt for his discharge, stands adjourned to Wednesday, the First day of September 1869, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Ex. " Diomed" and " Overland Mail." MISS ROSE has received a choice assortment of Ladies' BONNETS and HATS, Tulle HAT and Bonnet SHAPES Infants' white silk BONNETS and HOODS, Children's Sun HATS in all sizes. Satin and Taffeta SASH and other B1B-

BONS in great variety. BELTING in all shades. Black and colored FICHUS. Blonde LACES. Musin INSERTION and TRIMMING French FLOWERS, OSTRICH & FAN-

OY FEATHERS. Berlin WOOL WORK. Smoking CAPS, &c. Ladies' and Children's BOOTS & SHOES, HENDRIE'S PERFUMERY.

&c. &c. WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel, Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

#### ILLUMINATIONS. TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL AROHES. And other DECORATIONS;

HIS, ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURCH.

THE Undersigned is now prepared . execute orders for the above. information in reference thereto, can be Mesers Wilson & SALWAY.

JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist de. Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

TUDSON'S SIMPLE DYES of every hue can be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Hongkong, August 11, 1869.

TEITHER Capt. SCHMIDT or the Under-

signed will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G. EDEARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Agents N. G. Ship " Adler." Hongkong, July 19, 1869,

### New Advertisements.

NOTICE. IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIN, Decoused DROBATE of the last Will and Testa ment of Douglas Larrais, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, All persons Indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having

ito the Undersigned, at the Office of Messrs (Both quiet to ride or drive, and have Winter, Master, expected from DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., or to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or befor the 31st day of January 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869

TO BE LET FROM 1sr SEPTEMBER THE SHOP adjoining the HONGKONG DISPENSARY; and the GAS Co,'s late

Office, over the DISPENSARY. Hongkong, August 17, 1869.

NOTICE.

DENT & Co.'s ESTATE.

THIRD DIVIDEND of Seven centum upon the amount of all Claims admitted by the Trustees will be paid on the 25th September next. On application at the Office of the Trus tees. No. 7. Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be

furnished with warrants signed by the Trustees which will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

Auctions.



TER Majesty's Vessel RIFLEMAN and the Gun Boats WEAZEL and BUSTARD will be sold by Auction a the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on THURSDAY,

the 18th November, 1869. The following are the particulars :-" Rifleman," 486 Tons, 100 Horse Power.—She is three mast schooner ri ged (standing wire rigging complete), has all her Masts and Yards, one suit Sails, two Anchors, one hundred and dates following, viz :sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Davits. Stanchions, etc. The Boilers (2 in no.) are good; but the Engines require

" Weazel," 235 Tons, 60 Horse Power. -The Engines are in good working order.-The Boilers (3 in no.) are unfi for high pressure. She has one Anchor Chain Cable, one Downton's Pump; but no Masts, Yards or Sails.

" Bustard," 234 Tone, 60 Horse Power -The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3 in no.) are considerably worn but repairable. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awnings, one Downton's Pump and Firehearth; but no Masts, Yards or Sails. Further particulars can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

ALFD. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. NAVAL YARD.

Hongkong, August 28, 1869, PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in

structions to sell by Public Aucon, on the Premises, on WEDNESDAY the 15th September, 1869, at Noon,

unless disposed of previously by Private Contract.)-All those Pieces or Parcels of LAND, with 40 Chinese Houses standing thereon,

situated near the P. & O. S. N. Co. Factory, Syingpoon, and registered in to the Land Office, as Inland Lots 634 and Inland Lot 634, measuring North on

Second Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet; East on a close Inland Lot, No. 635, 150 feet; West on Government Ground, 150 feet, in all 15.7.0 square eet. Annual Crown rent, \$138.84.

Inland Lot 680, measuring North on Second Street, Syingpoon, 521 feet; South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 524 feet East on a close Inland Lot, No. 634, 150 feet; West on a close Inland Lot, No. 624, 150 feet; in all 7,875 square feet, Annual Crown rent, \$69.42,

The whole of the Property is now let Australia, America, China and Japan. Further particulars may be obtained

upon application to the Undersigned; TERMS OF SALE. One-third of the purchase money to be paid on full of the hammer, the remaining two-thirds on completion of Transfer, within Ten days

C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Auctioneer. Hongkong, August 25, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms

THURSDAY the 16th September, at 4 p.m.,-

Hood and fitted with Pole and shafts. the 2nd of September, at 5 p.m.

A Set of Silver Plated Single HAR NESS (almost new).

BRIDLES. BITS, CLOTHING, Driving and above Ports, Riding WHIPS, etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE, - Cash before delivery

Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

# Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year ended 30th June last, at the rate Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.60 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply or Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANK.

ING CORPORATION.

MICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the

1at July, 1870, 1st Jan., 1872, lat Jan., 1873;

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION,

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-JULIUS MENKE, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. Joost, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON, W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT,

E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. Hongkong,

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation.

Drafts, granted on London, and the

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, practice of his profession at Hongkong. delivery of their Goods. aired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver,

#### Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. will have immediate despatch for the above

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

W. MACAULAY,

Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAL. - Ushton, will be despatched for A Four wheel DOG CART, with the above Port, on THURSDAY NEXT,

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, August 28, 1869. A Set of Silver Plated Double HAR- FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW,

Captain Toppin, will have immediate despatch for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

TEAMER DIOMED FOR LONDON. Positive engagements to the extent of 400 Tons of Cargo, 300 Tons of which may consist of Drugs, can be made in the above steamer on or before the 30th instant, after which date applications can only be noted pending the arrival of the steamer from Shanghai.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, August 24, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s STR. AMERICA, FOR YOKOHAMA & SAN FRANCISCO. This steamer will be despatched for the above Ports on Sept. 18. For Freight or Passage. apply to the Undersigned. T. A. HARRIS.

Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The American ship 3/3 A 11 at Ventes, will have despatch from Whampon for the above port, and has room for a limited amount of freight at £1.17.6 per ton of 40 feet. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, August 21, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE. The First-class French brig Capt. Elie, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, May 25, 1869, FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig PERELLO, Master, will have quick dispatch as above. For Freight and Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkong, August 16, 1869. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Clipper ship B. F. SHERBURNE, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampos, and have immediate despatch For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 0, 1869. FOR NEW YORK

The North German Barque "DOCTOR PETERMANN, FREDERICKS Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate despatch for the above For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "NORTH STAR," will have quick despatch for the above port For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, August 18, 1869.

OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 13, 1869. FOR HAMBURG (DIRECT.) The North German ship " ADLER."

Captain Sommidr, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampos and Macao for the above port, and will meet with quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co's STR. "AMERICA" FROM SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in COLDING a Diploma from the Philadel- their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for phia Dental College, resumes the countersignature, and to take immediate

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 30th AUGUST, 1869. 日三十月七年巳巳治园 Auctions.

> Queen's Road, on (The property of the late Mr

either for one horse or a pair.

A Gentleman's SADDLE AND TWO

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchaser's risk on th fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

On 1at July, 1869,

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches

By Order of the Court of Directors,

SUSSORIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

S. D. SARSOON, Esq. Esq.

VIOTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. DAVID MAGLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .--Credits granted on approved Securities,

No, I, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

of Sale. All expenses of Transfer to be Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street; Cargo impeding the discharge of the year borne by the nurchaser. but patients visited at their homes if dessel will be landed and stored at Consigneer. vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum, Hongkong, June 14, 1869,

NOTICE.

'HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. GFC 15985 . I case Chemicals. Ex " Donnai," 26th July, 1869. JC 4 . . . . . . . 1 case Effects. Ex " Hoogly," 23rd August, 1869. 1 case Bedding. VE 8 . . . 1 case Baggage.

1 Portmantdau C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hengkong, August 28, 1869.

ES 29/38 TEN CASES MERCHANDIZE, Ex Maria Elizabeth. HIPPED by Messrs GERLANLET & Co. and consigned to order, have bee landed and stored for account and risk the Consignees, and if not taken delivery of before 10th September, 1869, will sold at public auction to cover freight and

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 25, 1869.

#### Aodices of Firms.

HE lifterest and responsibility of the late Mr. HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June lastand Mr. MORTIMER EVELYN MURRAY was admitted a partner therein on lat July.

MARGESSUN & Co. Hongkong, August 2, 1869.

will line NOTICE. MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly authorised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. The same to the same to F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hougkong, June 15, 1869.

of A More NOTICE.

HAVE this day established myself as a POBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at Kobe, and

Osaka, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and GENERAL AGENT, HENRY LUCAS, Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

NOTICE. 17 E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDS VV to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

#### NOTICE:

FI-HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LAN-CASTER LARKEN.

WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR. Foothow, May 1, 1869.

NOTICE,

AAR LEONHARD STARL has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from this date. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL

TROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Potts, to whom all communications should be addressed. YEE-WO & Co.

Hougkong Hotel, April 1, 1869...

For Sale

FOR BALE. TRUCH-FOUCHER & Co,'s CHAMPAGNE, Carte d'Or. VOGEL HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

FOR SALE, Ex " Samuel Russell." DORDEN'S Condensed MILK (Fresh). Ex " Chusan." Scotch SALMON, Findon HADDOCKS and LOBSTERS, in 1 lb. Tins. Also a choice variety of SOUPS in 1 lb. Tins.

Apply to J. F. ROSE. Wellington Street. Hongkong, August 24, 1869.

FOR SALE. Just received; ex Mail Steamer. TO ILLIARD CLOTHS of the best quality. STAG HOTEL.

Hongkong, August 13, 1869. FOR SALE. Ex Neville, Chetah and other late arrivals. DIVE TONS Hubbuck's White ZINC. P ō do. best Euglish do. 22 do. Hubbuck's White LEAD,

5 do. best English do. do. 2 do. Hubbuok's Black PAINT. 2 do. do. Red LEAD. Hubbuck's Dry Yellow OCHRE. Do. Patent DRYERS in 28 lbs Ting, in 7 lbs, and 1 lb, 100 drums Hubbuck's Boiled Paint OIL 25 do. do. Raw do. 175 gross assorted Bras. (Patent Taper Pointed) SCREWS.

Folding Meat SAFES, assorted Sizes. 100 cases Eidam CHEESE. Galvanized and Iron SPIKES from 4 in,

INDIA RUBBER from 3 to 1. All kinds of Door LUCKS, Brass Mor ise LOCKS and FURNITURE. Glass, Paper and Emery CLOTH. bottles: 20 min

- L. FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1869.

#### For Sale.

FOR SALE. O close Consignments. SOUND BREAKFAST and DIN-ER CLARETS:at \$3.00 per dozen. St. Emilien at \$4.00 Haute Do. . at 44.50 Pontet Canet Chatau Lakose

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869. FOR SALE.

Barrels Best PORTLAND CEMENT FREDERIC DEGENAER. 

FOR SALE, Under power contained in the Mortgage

LL those valuable Premises situate in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road n the South, and partly on the Praya on the North, formerly occupied by Mesars. Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the occupation of Mesers. E. Schellhass & Co. The Premises are built on Marine Lot No. 101, and are held under Lease from the Crown for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £30 per annum. The Premises are spacious and biry, and the ground compri-

ses an area of 14.400 square feet. Those valuable Premises adjoining the above on its Western boundary, formerly in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank, and built on Inland Lot No. 514. These Premises are likewise held under a Crown Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s. per annum; and the Lot

contains an area of 6,700 square feet. The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given) unless previously disposed of by private

For further particulars, apply to MESSES SMITH, AKCHER & Co., HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq.,

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869.

FOR SALE. HE following Properties belonging of the Estate of DENT & Co. At Hankow.- The Property at present occupied by Messis Evans & RAINBOW, consisting of a Dwelling House, with Servanta' Offices and Stables and three Go-

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News Agents. Hongkong, August 19, 1869.

NOTICE,

BILLIARD ROOM, LONDON INN.

HIS Billiard Room will be Closed from date until the 19th August, for fur-G. W. SMELLING,

Hongkong, August 9, 1869.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL HE Undersigned have removed their AUCTION SALES DEPARTMENT to the Premises lately occupied by Messrs RAY & Co., Queen's Road Central. Goods received for Auction Sales will be fully covered by Fire Insurance, for which no extra charge is made, STURAGE to be had on very moderate

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WILLIAM LEGGE, Esq.; Hop. Secretary PROGRAMME OF THE 16TH ANNUAL MEETING, 1869. 220-E

FIRST DAY, WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1869. FIRST RACE .- 1 P.M. For Single Pair Soulling Boats. Distance 1 mile: Prize \$50.00. To be competed for by men who have never won a sculling race in China or Elsewhere. Entrance fee,

SECOND RACE. - 1.30 P.M. For Boats pulled by Non-Commissioned Officers and men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance I mile. Prizes : Ist Boat, \$20; 2ud, \$10. Time for Oars. Entrance fee \$1.00. Officers may officiate as coxswains if necessary.

RIRD RACE. -2. O P. M. For Four-Oared Canton Cutters. Distance 1 mile and a balf. Prize the Chairman's Cup; value \$250. Entrance fee, \$10.00. FOURTH RACE - 3 P.M. For Men-of-war Gigs. Distance 1 mile. Prizes : 1st Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$10.00 ... Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F. Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday. 22nd November. Entrance fee, \$1.00 FIFTH RACE. -3.30 P.M. For Pair Cars and 2 Pair Soulling Boats. Distance I mile. Prize, the "American Cup."

Value ... Entrance fee, \$5.00. SIXTH RACE. - 4 P.M. For House Boats pulled by Chinamen. Distance I mile. Prizes: 1st Boat, \$15.00; 2nd, \$5.00. Entrance fee, \$1.00. SEVENTH RACE: -4.30 P.M. For Four

Oared Canton Cutters. Distance I mile. Prize, "Ladies' Purse," presented by rer copy viz :-the Ladies of Hongkong. Winners of Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance 11 sets complete from 11. TIGHTH RACE. - 5 P.M. For Canoes. Distance i mile. 1st Prize \$50.00; 2nd

\$20.00; 3rd \$10.00. No fouling al- 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24 SAILING RACE. - For all Open Boats, Chinese excepted. First Boat, \$25.00; second. \$10.00. Course to be specified hereafter. Entrance, \$2.

HARBOUR VACHT RACE. -For all Yachta Particulars of course, &c. to be named hereafter. SECOND DAY.

THUBSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1869. IRST RACE. - 1 P.M. For Men-of-war Cutters. Distance 1 mile. First Boat, \$20.00 ; 2nd, \$10.00. Entrance fee, Entries received by R. F. Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 22nd Nov. SECOND RACE. - 1.30 P.M. For Single Pair

Sculling Boats. Distance I mile. Prize, First Race. —2.30 P.M. For Four Oared Canton Cutters. Distance 11 mile. Prize, the "Jinkee Cup." Value, \$150.00. Presented by a Subscriber. Entrance fee, \$10.00, FOURTH RACE. - 3 P.M. For all Boats manto send for their copies between the hours ned by Europeans. Distance 1 mile. of 4 P.M. and midnight.

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Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$5. Winners of No. 2, First day, excluded. Entrance fee. XTH RACE. -4 P.M. For Four-Oared Canton Cutters. Distance 1 mile. Prize \_\_\_\_ Entrance fee, \$10. For men who have never pulled in a winning boat at any previous regatta. SEVENTH KAUE.—4.30 P.M. Canoe Scram-

ble. Bumping allowed. Distance tof a mile. Entrance fee, \$2. lst Prize \$30.00; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$5.00.
SAILING RACE for Schooners and Cutters. Full particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be duly announced. The above programme is subject to any

changes the Committee may see necessary to make. Weights, Colours, and names of each Crew for presentation prizes for Rowing | Wear. must be stated on entering boats. All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary on or before the 15th November, 1869. The races will commence each day at 1 P.M., and Tiffin will take place on board the Flag Ship each

day after the Second Race. WILLIAM LEGGE. Hon, Sec. V. R. C. Hongkong, August 24, 1869.

SAIL MAKING !! TATILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of Sam Making in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public. He has un hand a fine assortment of 8

and 10 ounce RAVEN'S DUCK suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings. Hongkong, April 29, 1869. HE Undersigned are now prepared to THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS. TS published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mails, and contains-

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HE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will become due at the Office of the HONGLONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-PORATION on the 30th Instant, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be

Interest at the rate of 12% per annum will be charged after the above date. N. B.—The Scrip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred to, will be exchanged for Share Certificates of the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice of which will be given to the Shareholders,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

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AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE THE following SETS of the "CHINA PUNCH" can be obtained, stitched in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents

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Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50. "The Origin of the Chinese" by the same

author : Price \$1. Apply at Messrs Lane, CRAWFORD & Co. or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. THE Market Circulars, prepared by the CHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon of the day preceding the departures of the fortnightly P. & O Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requested

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Club Chambers, Hongkong, July 20, 1869. SAYLE & Co.,

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ARRIVALS. Aug. 30, San Lorenzo, Spanish brig, 270. P. Ledesma, Manila, Aug. 23, General Remedios & Co.

Aug. 30, Unadilla, U.S.G., from Macao. Aug. 30, Sultan, British barque, 520, Moss, Borneo, Aug. 9, General. THOMAS

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Deerfoot, for Foochow. Matador, for Saigon. Ragna, for Whampoa.

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SHIPPING REPORTS. The British barque Sultan, Capt. Mosa. reports the first part of passage had strong S. W. monsoon and heavy sea, thence fine

weather and light variable winds. The Spanish brig Son Lorenzo, Captain P. Ledesma, from Manila, reports fine weather and steady S.W. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong. When the San Lorenzo left Manila, on 23rd August, the steam-ship Manila had not arrived. The Manila left this port on the 19th, but it may be remembered that she was reported "under sail" on the 20th, "something having apparently gone wrong."

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL OLOSE:-

For SHANGHAL .-Per "CHINA," on Thursday next, the 2nd September, at 4.30 P.M. For SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO AND SHANGHAI.

Per "TAPANGNYO," To-morrow, the 31st Instant, at 3.30 P.M. It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward closed mails for the United Kindom will be made up at this Office and forwarded to London by the United States Mail Packets via San Francisco. Correspondence intended to be forwarded

by this route must be addressed via " San Francisco. Letters, Newspapers, Booksand Patterns, will be liable to the same rates of postage as those sent by the British Mail Packets via Southampton viz :--

For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce. For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 4 cents. For a packet of Books of Patterns, 8 cents per 4 ounces. The Postage must in all cases be paid in

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General Post Office. Hongkong February 1, 1869. T is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America

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# THE CHINA MALL.

HONGRONG, MONDAY, AUG. 30, 1869.

UR LIDDELL AND OUR CHINA

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bug yet given to the world. These facts:

to the constituency he represents. THAT some change in the financial de-POLICY. partments of the Colony was intended Mr. Liddell's speech in the House of Commons on the 13th July is of a nature to strest attention as being the first public Consular accounts to Peking. attempt made by a member of Parliawould seem that this change is already ment to guess the motives, which, at the present moment, animate our Foreign Office in the policy toward China which it has recently inaugurated. It is hard it has recently inaugurated. It is hard it might at any time be to pay moneys mission was refused. On Saturday morn-glad to see that this said boatman had a are equally unworthy of grave-consider—with it complications between the Native heart, and that he had taken the trouble to ation. them to henceforth pay them into the ments in language bordering on invective but we may state that they were untrue, unstatesmanlike and unworthy of any to be abolished. The subordinate emman who professes to possess any feelings of patriotism or honor. Briefly conquit, and on the change coming into densed Mr Liddell's misrepresentations operation the functions of Colonial Treaemount to this (1) That the Treaty of same, be merged in one individual. Tientsin being exacted by force, it was to are not in possession of the definite be hoped that we should not "insist in scheme adopted, but have reason to beadhering too rigidly to all its stipulalieve that the foregoing gives its chief outlines. Should the auditorship tions;" (2) That the United States were Consular accounts be transferred to entitled to our admiration and imitation, and despatch writing will be saved. having in all their intercourse with China We can only hope that suitable proinvariably shown a conciliation, a pruvision will be made at the principal dence, and a conception of Chinese ports for providing the necessary supply of bullion so as not to necessitate the feelings which fully entitled them to the Tientsing Consul, for instance, being authority or influence they undoubtedly permitted to draw only from the bank possess; (3) That our policy has hitherto at Hongkong. In other respects been marked by the habit of violating simplification of having all Colonial government moneys in one depository the rights of the Chinese; (4) That is advantageous both to the colony and American trade received "special protect the bank. tion" in China, and that she was bound by all obligations of honor to protect LOCAL. China in the observance of international right; and finally (5) that if we offend THE Band of the 75th Stirlingshire Reg America out here it will be "awkward. will perform at the Public Gardens, on Now we may fairly appeal to American Tuesday, the 31st instant, commencing a residents in China as to the opinion which 5.30 P.M. The following is the procan alone be held on such language as this. So fully have they identified OVERTURE, "Prince of Wales," Cavallin QUADILLER, ..... 'Imperial, '... themselves with the opinions, almost un-SELECTION,...." Fra Diavolo,". animously held by British residents, that WALTZ ..... Farewell," we almost date imagine that they will GALOP, ..... "Cuckoo, as strongly condemn it, as we, the pic-GOD SAVE THE QUEEN, ..... tured villains of the piece, most certainly do. However unnecessary it may be to traverse his arguments, as regards resi- This evening Miss Raynor and Mr Bennee dents here, they must be denied and will appear at the theatre of the Club Lusirefuted for the information of home rea-

W. J. Collender, Band Master. Their programme commences with the "drawing room performance," ders. His first remark as regards the Personation, or Fairly Taken In," treaty is so obviously puerile, applying as comprises selections from Romeo and it does to every treaty ever yet made Juliet." the Balcony Scene and the descrip tion of Queen Mab's vagaries in Dream The whole to conclude with " Morning Call." The South African and ments complained of involve such trifles Straits journals warmly commend the peras murder, robbery, violence, extortion,

formances by Miss Raynor and Mr Bennes. With much pleasure we copy the following annonucement from Saturday's Governdoes not possess any preponderating inment Gazette :- His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, C.B., has been pleased to appoint provisionally, until Her Maiesy's pleasure may be known. Rowett, Esquire, to be a member of the Legislative Council of Hongkong, vice the Honorable Henry John Ball, absent on Browne, has published the most antago-

THERE are missionary difficulties in India as well as in China, but they are not so severe in the former as in the latter country! Of Cashmere we are told that, last vear, the Medical Missionary Dogtor Elmslie observed that the opposition on the part of the native officials was comderably abated. They seemed afraid to oush matters to the same extent as in the previous year : "They are now aware that the attention of the English nation been drawn to Cashmere by recent events. and they are afraid that they may have gone a little too far in their opposition the Mission and in their oppression of the people." Some attempt, indeed; was made to frighten the people by denonning the Mission dispensary at the different mosques, and threatening divorce to any man or woman who should visit it. These must be civil to China lest American minations do not appear to have been much rengeance overtake us, is both laughable | heeded, and the Dispensary and its Misand gratuitously insolent to British sub- | sionary held on their unostentations course lects in the East, laughable from the with increasing popularity, throughout the

Mr May on the Bench. A Chinaman was caught this foremoon of the advantages for which our "policy | the convicts in the chain-gang. Defendant of force" opened the way. We say this, of course pleaded that he did not know he we imply no dishapour in their doing to asked by the convict's brother to convey we imply no dishonour in their doing so, the parcel.—Fined \$1, or 7 days' imprisonment.

action which has resulted in their own Choong Asing, a shop coolie, was one of Edvantage. This happily is not now the four who were engaged in a very curious charge having been made against him of line of conduct taken by United States robbery at Kowloong, from the Charcoal suspicion of having been concerned in an residents, though until lately the papers Manufactory there. It appears that, about armed attack on P. C. Jeremiah Foley's of the Republic were in the habit of vilifying British action and British policy as fer as possible where the papers of the habit of box as fer as possible where the papers of the box are used for the time, and his wife and another woman hey as far as possible. The reaction Manufacture of animal charcost by the East were all who were in the house. The fortunately created by the Burlingame Point Sugar Refinery; and Mr Workman, thieves plundered the house, and then Justo has to a great extent shewn that foreman of the works, who was on the pre- unde off, not having lejured any of off interests are in the main iden mises, when he missed the bones, gave the inmates. Upon the other constables tical, and that, save in the friendly rivally chase to the robbers, whom he saw packing over there having been informed of the the ourious property on the top of the hill robbery, they scoured the adjacent hills. of trade, there need be little attempt to overlooking the Hon ham Bay The thieves and defendant was stumbled over in the indulge in feelings of an antagonistic at once started to run, but Workman did search. Defendant ran away when he was so too, and finally after a run of two miles seen, and was caught only after a long It is always repugnant to the feelings he caught the prisoner. In accordance chase. There was no evidence to clearly

but Mr | he had nothing to do with the bones; he | he is an old offender, and bears the Gaol | itself to their minds, and through them | to proselytize to a certain "set of dogmas," ignorance, or having been bought over of four months' hard labor. to Mr Burlingame's pretended views.

On account of the Sing-song, a large 6th prox., for further evidence. number (some 30) Chinese were up to-day that no matter how ignorant, how patriotic feeling a man may be, he may the cause, there is not one man alive pos-

Oriental Bank instead of the Colonial mother was dying, as usual, and he was so ed until to-morrow. Treasury, which latter, it would appear, sorrowful over the domestic calamity, etc., as a receptacle for bullion, is henceforth etc. Mr G., his master, let him go, and the promise was repeated by defendant that ployes have already received notice to he would be back on Thursday. Yesterday morning, Mr Guttierrez happened to go on board the Canton steamer Kinking, and was surprised to find his heart-broken gargon. surer and Auditor General will, we pre- busily engaged scrubbing a cabin-floor : he We had engaged himself as servant to the Chief Engineer. Defendant refused to return to his former employ, having evidently found a "better thing" on board the Kinking but the police soon got their hands on this bright youth, and he was according charged. Mr G. distinctly stated on oath Peking, much needless waste of time that defendant gave no notice, and left his bed and curtains as they were untouched. -- Defendant said he had given notice of his intended departure a month ago. - Mr May fined this gentleman \$20, in default one month's hard labour. The fine was

A Chinese porkseller was intercepted about tiffin-time yesterday in an interesting little pork expedition, under the following circumstances. He was discovered carrying a couple of baskets packed wit seventy catties (about 100 lbs.) of pig-flesh cut up into pieces as if ready for sale in s market. As this flesh (it was called pork) was at the time stinking and of an unusual colour, both the pork and the pork-man were taken to the West Point Police Station In answer to the Lokong who stopped the rogue's march." it was said by the bearer the employ of Stall No. 40 in the Western pork to be thrown into the sea would be so to the Treaty Ports, exercising even there carefully cut up into pieces for the convenieuce of the sharks, remanded the case for

Theodore Barclay, P. C. 183, was placed ant is in charge of prisoners who clean out | tioned. these peregrinations that he fancied the that the hostility entertained by the Chijacket referred to. The jacket was found nese to Protestant Missionaries, is not dion the prisoner.—Defendant alleged that | rected against them as a class, but as Foremitted a robbery in his life. -Mr May, | feats inflicted on the Chinese Governmen however, thought he had attained that by England, and the evils connected wit accomplishment at last, for he sent him to the opium trade.

hard labor for six months. they had erected matsheds in Hollywood Road to the danger of the neighboring It appears from Mr Alford's statements that, at Nos 168 and 152 Hollywood Road, matsheds had been erected. prejecting some ten or eight feet from the Lanterns and flowers were hung up. and a general illuminating festival was evi- large city in the province of Honan dently in preparation. As he had fearnt that no permission had been obtained from the summonses were taken out. One of the defendants went to ask for permission was refused .- This same defendant stated been obtained from the Registrar General Both the defendants were fined £3, in default 7 days' imprisonment.

Chun Afgok was placed in dock, the Pritish journalists to seems a man of with the invariable custom, prisoner swore connect the prisoner with robbery; but as

gambling. In fact, the lady (or sempstress) pose, whatever it may have been. On arri- and was by no means a new charge when tained, the hearts of the people are won, about to take place, as alterations are it appeared that, on Friday last, the "boy" proceeded against as above stated.—Mr on the walls of Ningpo and Hangchow, already being made in the Treasury in question had asked leave to go home for May passed a flattering eulogium upon the that foreign opium is made by pounding Department. A circular has been issued a few days; but as this privilege had been boatman who had saved the old grand- the bones and flesh of coolies who had been to all Government employes, whose duty granted a month or two previous, the per- mother and her grandchildren. He was stolen from China for this purpose; and in the Interior, it almost inevitably brings defendant, with all that dramatic effect go to the assistance of a fellow-countrywhich Chinese "boys" can assume : his woman in distress.—The case was remand-

> IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Court Paper for Tuesday, the 31st August, 1869, at 11 a.m. IN CHANCERY. Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris and auother v. Rodger and others. - Argument of

PROTESTANT MISSIONS IN ETTER TO H. E. SIR RUTHERFORD ALCOCK. Bu the British Protestant Missionaries

of Pekina. PERING, July 14th, 1869. To H. E. SIR RUTHERFORD ALCOCK, K.C. B.

H. M. Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Peking. SIR.--In recent despatches to H. M Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, quoted by Lord Clarendon in the House of Lords, and commented on by the leading English newspapers, you have entered somewhat at length into the subject of Protestant Missions in China and we. Protestant Missionaries resident in Peking, desire to address you, and through you H. M. Government, on some of the points

brought forward by you. These despatches, copious extracts from which you have courteously furnished us with, strongly advocate a restrictive policy of the putrid pork that it had been killed with reference to Protestant Missionary westward and was being taken to the operations in the interior of China, prin-Choong-wan, i.e., the central district of the cipally on the ground of the "implacable city; and that the pig had been bought for hostility entertained by the Chinese Autho-Taels 7, but had died a natural death, and rities and the official class in China towards had therefore been "killed" some time all Missionaries," and also because of the afterwards. - Inspector Burton (of markets) | injury that will accrue to our commercial stated his belief that the pork-man was in relations with China, if missionaries are permitted to domicile themselves in the in-Market, the holders of which had taken the | terior. If Lord Clarendon's speech in the precaution of disappearing from the scene. House of Lords, on the loth of April last, -Defendant admitted that his master is rightly reported in the London and China bought the pig, that the beast died, that it | Express, he states it as your opinion that "it was afterwards cut up, and that he (defend- is absolutely necessary that the mis ionaries ant) was told—to throw it into the sea. should not establish themselves in the in-His master had gone, he did not know terior," and again that "it is expedient that where.—But Mr May, not believing that the Missionaries should confine themselves

great judgment." In regard to the first point, you have represented the arrogant pretensions of the Roman Catholic Missionaries as one cause. in dock on a charge of having stolen a silk of hostility to all Missionary labours. It is jacket the property of loking (No. 6), from | no doubt one cause, and we are as conscious the Central Police Barracks. The robbery of the mischief of such arrogance as took place on the 26th or 27th, but the of- Your Excellency can be. But in giving fence was not traced to the constable until the hostility of the Chinese to Missionaries Saturday, when he was discovered to be as a reason why Protestant Missionaries wearing the jacket. There were \$2.50 in should be restrained in their operations, the pocket, and 100 loose cash, at the time | the nature of that hostility and the princiit was stolen. It appears that the defend- pal causes of it should be distinctly men-

the Police Barracks, and it was during It is well known and understood in China saw the silk jacket lying in the yard on igners. And the causes of that hostili and on Saturday he saw it are the hatred of other races which again, so he put it on ; he never com- Chinese have always had, the repeated de

The Chinese look on Missionaries as Mr Alford appeared as complainant in presentatives of all foreigners, and all two summons cases against Chinese, in that | eigners they believe to be encroachers on the rights of others, seekers after money and territory, or opium sellers. Almost every buildings, contrary to the Ordinance 8 of abusive placard that has been issued against Mr Hazeland appeared for the pro- Protestant Missionaries, has charged them either with secret designs of conquest, or with being engaged in the coolie and opium trades, and making the teaching of virtue cloak for these abominations. A Mis sionary was not long ago driven out of mob, led on by the native gentry, the cause of whose hatred to him was given in these the Surveyor General to build this erection. | words, shouted after him as he left the city. "You burned our Palace, you killed ou Emperor, you sell poison to the people after the shed was put up, and permission and now you come professing to teach us virtue." These charges sufficiently indicate that a subscription had been raised for the other and deeper, and to the Chinese, more eyedent that, in both cases, permission had Catholic Bishops, or even the well known and much to be deplored Protectorate of for a religious ceremony; but this by no Chinese Christians by France. Such means included matsheds and lanterns .- charges shew beyond a doubt that the Protestant Missionary suffers not as a Missionary, but as a foreigner. He suffers from a hostility which he has had no share in provoking. Mr Taylor's expulsion from Yangebow is a proof of this, inasmuch as the attack was made on him and his party before he had had time to commence Missionary operations. No general argument then, against the establishment of Protescertain inland towns.

sistent efforts in this direction, upon all ments in our relations with the rulers and be confined again to the open Ports? people of China."

As commerce is thus put into the fore- in the opening up of this country to Forand Silk exported from China to England and elsewhere. Let the following statistics speak for the mselves :--

dian 'Opium imported into China, was 88,148 pls., 25,582 of which were smuggled into China from Hongkong, Iu Silver the total value of this Opium was...... 45,071,357

In the same year (1867) the total amount of tea exported to all countries from China was 1,122,384 piculs, the value of which in Silver was he total amount of Silk exported to all countries from China, during the same year, was 39,299 piculs, the value

of which in Silver was...... 15,724,380 Total value of Tea and Silk ex-

ported in 1867...... 49.478.389

This shows that the total value of the Tes and Silk exported from China to all countries. in 1867, exceeded the total value of the one article of Opium imported from India into China, chiefly by British Merchants, during the same year, only by about four and a half millions of taels. Opium then may be considered as the main branch of British Commerce in China, and, however opinions may differ as to the amount of injury inflicted by this drug, on those who use it, no one will defend it on the to the people. The Chinese themselves, injurious. The enormous advance of the amount imported from India, since the early years of its introduction, is a cause, far more than a result, of the immense demand for it. It has given an impetus to the growth of the Native Opium, which, as in Szechuen, is gradually superseding the foreign article. Since the opening of the Yang-tze, the Native drug in the interior, has become one half cheaper, and the number of smokers has been trebled. "The cultivation of the poppy," said one the censors, in a Memorial recently dressed to the Emperor on this subject, "has been substituted for cereal producoperations are represented as almost the ments," while it is implied that Commerce, if once freed from its connection with these operations, would only advance the cause

cial attention to a placard that was posted know the language, mix but little among own ritual, to ensure the legality of the towards the end of last year, on the gates the Native Population. Protestant Mis- marriage, of Shanghai, which you think showed "in- sionaries learn the language, mix with the respecting Christianity, as it has presented They go about not, as represented, merely dience.

Liddell's speech can have been prompted was only passing by.—Mr May, however, brand on the left car, it is presumed that been conveyed to the common people, whom but to teach all whom they can reach the by but one of two motives—inconceivable thought the defendant had had enough to he may be cognisant of the robbery upon they lead." "It is only indeed," you fur-first great principles of morality, and to do with the bones as to justify a sentence | the veteran Yau-ma-ti constable's house— | ther say, by the light of such documents | explain the desires and aims of the better The case was therefore remanded until the that we can see how it may be true, as has portion of the English in coming among been said, that the minds of the Chinese them. They have opened Hospitals for -Chun Fook Sai and Foong Asai, a boat- are 'set like the nether-millstone' against | the healing of the sick, and they frequentunassailed, but permits us to conclude for having been abroad without a pass, man and his concubine, were charged by the teaching of Missionaries." The con- ly spend time, and health, and strength in All were fined 50 cents, unless those who Captain Deane with having cut and wound- tents of the placard will, we think, hardly ministering to the physical wants of the empty-headed and dead to a spark of could show a "chit" from their employers. ed an old woman, owner of a sampan. It bear out such a statement as this. It was poor. They live among the Chinese on a A Chinese sempstress charged a Chinese would appear that the prisoners engaged directed principally against the Roman friendly footing, diffuse information, regambler with an assault. It appeared that the sampan-in which were the old woman Catholics, and accused them of eating balceive the Chinese cheerfully in their houses, the parties had been living together as man and two grand-children-to take them to bies flesh and gonging out the eyes of the and constantly inculcate on them the prac-The second supposition, we put as the only other rational means of accounting that their domestic felicity has been much only other rational means of accounting that their domestic felicity has been much returned to near the Kellett's Island withdisturbed by the man's confirmed habit of out having apparently effected their pur- of the heathen Chinese for many years, Missionaries, kindly intercourse is mainof his bosom called this man "a confirmed val in the harbor, near Kellet's Island, the the placard in question was issued. The and England, both in its lawful commerce gambler" and a lazy man who never did prisoners expressed a wish that the two same thing might occur in any city at any and its political interests, is only a gainer, any work. He wanted to pawn the poor girls should go down into the hold, to time. The ignorance of the native popul never a loser, by the residence among the woman's rattan-mat yesterday, which the which the grandmother objected. The fe- lation leads to the belief of such stories. Chinese of the Missionary families. The sempstress decidedly objected to. Enraged male prisoner then attempted to push one They have arisen from a misunderstanding more there is of this sort of influence the at the failure of his scheme thus to raise of the children down the hold; and when of the rites of baptism, the sacrament better it will be both for Chinese and funds, he cut up the mat to pieces and the old woman remonstrated, the male pri- of the Host, and extreme Unction. The English, and this will be especially the spoiled the pillow-box besides. Then he soner commenced to cut her head with a Protestant Missionaries are of course classed case in inland towns, "where Foreigners finished off by heating the poor sewing- knife and to quieten her generally. Cries with the Roman Catholics, and hence these are only known as devils" or "barbarians." woman. Defendant, who is known to the of. "save life" were then raised; and a foolish charges against us. The ruling To have Protestant mission Hospitals and has long been known, the proximate police as a gambling loafer, accused the fishing junk passing at the time, the master classes know that these charges are false, Schools established in such cities, under complainant of unfaithfulness; but Mr heard them, lowered a toat, came alongside but they invent them for the purpose of the care of general and medical Missionintention expressed by the Foreign May imposed a penalty of 10/, in default and put a stop to the little tragedy going on Prisoners were then taken to the Police on the P Mr L. J. Guttierrez, clerk to Union Dock | Chop near Jardine's, when luckily Captain | a piece with the notion, held by some of | in China, would work well—if it might not Company, appeared to charge his servant Deane happened to be on board. The the common people, and put forth some be shewn to be almost the only practical. with having absconded from his employ. prisoners were then taken in custody, and years ago in an anonymous placard posted method—for the removal of prejudice and the spread of knowledge.

But we shall be told that, however beneficial the presence of Missionaries might be and Foreign Governments, but this is not The injury that will accrue to our "ma. as we have shewn, because of the way in terial interests" in China, if missionaries | which Missionaries propagate Christianity; are permitted to domicile themselves in the nor is it on religious grounds at all, but interior, you give as another reason for simply because they are Foreigners. The restraining them from doing so. "Com- same troubles would have arisen, had a merce," you say, "its extension and free body of merchants or scientific men atdevelopment was the first great object of | tempted to domicile themselves in those the Treaty of Tientsin." "It is futile to places out of which Missionaries have regraft on to a treaty of commerce a prosely- cently been driven. Our merchants are tizing agency for the conversion of the urging freer access to the interior, and even nation to Christianity." You entertain permission to reside in inland towns for strong opinions against "the wisdom of purposes of trade, and these demands canpresent efforts for the establishment of not be put off much longer. When com-Protestant missions beyond the circle of plications arise between merchants penetrathe ports." You "have no doubt what- ting into the interior and the proud, ignorever as to the risk incurred, and the evil ant ruling class, will the British Minister consequences to be anticipated from per- of that day argue that British commerce leads only to the embroiling of the two Gomaterial interests and progressive improve- | vernments, and advise that the merchants

Complications must arise from time to time ground as the one only object of Great eigners and it rather becomes H. M. Repre-Britain in China, it to impossible to refrain | sentatives in China to meet those difficulties. from asking what has been the pature of | and to try every moral means to overcome that commerce which we have forced upon | them, than to advise retrogression in the Chinese? Has it been such as only to order to get rid of them. And they benefit the people, or has it been such as could not have a better opportunity to demoralize them? We fear that the of making this attempt, than in dealing result of British Commerce in China has with the set ling of Missionaries in the inrather had the latter effect than the for- terior. Protestant Missionaries ask for The main bruch of the British neither "gunboats" nor soldiers to protect Commerce in China is opium, an article them. The use of force in connection with which the Chinese believe to have been the Missionary operations is most abhorrent cause of our first war with China, and to their feelings. All they ask for is that which, however eagerly it may be sought | their Authorities-Minister in Peking and after, they regard as injurious to them | Consuls in the Ports-will exert a friendly mentally, morally and physically. Now, influence, so far as they possibly can, on how does the trade in opium compare with the Chinese Rulers, to insist on protection that in Tea and Silk? It cannot surely be | being given to all British subjects travelsubject of self-congratulation in the matter ling or residing in the interior, so long as of our Commerce with China, that there is | they comply with the conditions of their very little difference annually between the passports. Sometimes this has been tried, total value of the opium imported from and tried with success. A case in point India into China, and that of all the Tea | occurred not far from Peking, about two years ago, in connection with the prosecution of some native converts, made by English Protestant Missionaries. The British Consul at Tientsin asked Chung-How, the Imperial Superintendent of Foreign Trade in North China, to check the local magistrate, the Governor of Lau-ling, a city distant 170 miles from Tientsin, in his persocution of the native converts at that place. The mission there was in a very flourishing state previous to this persecution, which was carried on by the magistrate at the instigation of the native gentry. A proclamation was very kindly sent to the neighbourhood by Chung-How, and the grievance ceased. If this can be done in the case of native converts, who might be persecuted in such a variety of ways, without being able to appeal to law, we think that if perseveringly and earnestly tried in the case of British subjects, the same plan might also prove successful. At all events, if such means fail, missionaries generally, we feel confident, would rather retire to some other place than entail the horrors of war on any town. It is unjust to speak of missionaries as anxious to fall back on H. M. naval and military forces to help them in their work. We must demur to your Excellency's statement that " the British Authorities, as a rule, are neither consulted nor even advised by the Missionaries, of the steps the several independent members or bodies of diverse missions decide upon." arics, as a rule, never travel without a passpart, and this has always to be applied for at the Consulates. The Consuls, therefore, have every opportunity of enquiring into the movements of Missionaries on applying for their passports, and acquainting thems dres, if they think fit, with the steps these Missionaries intend to take. This system gives to H. M. Government all the "direct control." that is necessary over their pro-(To be continued.)

A HINDOO MARRIAGE. -The native reformers have not a bad conception of the sanctity! of the press, when they select a printing office as the most appropriate place for celebrating their marriage ceremonies. It will be to their satisfaction to know that such a place was anciently denominated a "chapel." The last Brahmist marriage in tions, on vast tracts of the Western and Calcutta took place in the office of the Infestival, and this house (168) had been rent- generally understood causes of hostility Northern Provinces, so as in some parts to dian, a native journal. The bridegroom occasion a rise in the price of food." For was the son of a High Court pleader, Sreethis and all the other injuries entailed by nath Dass, the bride a widow of the Aguri Opium British Commerce that Protestant caste. The union was important as being Missionaries are to be restrained from pe- both a widow-marriage and an intermarnetrating into the interior! Missionary riage. The Mirror protests against the ceremonies, which seem to have been a one obstacle to "progressive improve- successful compromise between Brahmoista and Hindocism, illustrating the worst points of both systems. They began with a theistic hymn on the vanities of the world, followed by an introductory address In opposition to this, we maintain that in English. The contract was signed and horourable Commerce has nothing to fear attested. Next came a Hengalee speech, tant missions in the interior, can be from Protestant Missionaries, but every congratulations and adulations after which founded on the troubles which Protestant | thing to gain. Merchants, as a rule, cannot | the orthodox Hindoo ceremonial was gone Missionaries have recently met with in make themselves understood among the through. The Civil Marriage Bill being people, as they but rarely learn their Isn- not yet law, the parties seem to have added You have directed Lord Clarendon's spe- guage. British Officials, if they do orthodox rites which they despised to their

> A PERSON who had been listening to s thistakeably what are the prevailing opi- people, and throw their influence all on very dull address, remarked that every nions of the educated and official classes the side of morality, peace and good-will, thing went off well—especially, the side

ol inte Apply to (fine Champagne). Apply to and Younger. and Roofing Felt. Apply to Apply to West Hartley. Consisting of MOLAVES

Figure per bag of 28 lb. BANABAS. Nails. Apply to

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Hongkong, September 28, 1868. IMPÉRIAL FIRE INSURANCE

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GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864. tf NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz: Not exceeding ten days & of the annual rate, Not exceeding 1 month. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6,... Above 6 months,..... the full annual ratce GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, August 13, 1869.

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the full Annual rate. GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

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one month. Above I munth and not exceeding three ( 2 Above 3 m'tha and not exceeding

months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., gents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7. 1868.

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Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

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nama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at he time of their presentation. 4. Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingare situated, are hung up for public refer-

ence at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama 5.—Applicants for Money Orders must he initial of one Christian name, both the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the Proclamation of the 22nd Junitary, usual designation of such firm, such as mere term Messrs, such as "Messrs."

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ing under a title which does not consist

the names of the persons composing it, such "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through Bank, a receipt by any person will be au icient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in he employ of such Bank

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be attixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with tis address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order lesire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was oriinally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being tost, a duplicate wil be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an addi tional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

L-On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new is particularly adapted to the constitution

12.—But when it is desired that any its effects in all diseases peculiar to females error in the name of the Remitter or Payes while those who are attenuated by the deby order of His should be corrected or that the amount of bilitating effects of the above climates will Excellency, Sir Richard Graves MacDon- a Money Order should be repaid to the find in this wonderful remedy a kind of the nell that henceforward, the rates of Pos- Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should lisman whereby they may insure a restorabe renewed for payment in the Country in | tion to robust health. Papers or Patterns of light weight sent which the Order was originally drawn from Hongkong to the United Kingdom application must be made to the Chief when, forwarded via Southamptom, will be Money Order Office of such Coultry This application must be accompanied by an ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was

originally drawn. 14. - Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July. therwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.-If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Mouth after It is hereby notified that, under the au- that in which it was drawn. - for instance thority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st | if drawn in January and not paid before May last, Superintending, or First-Class | the end of the following January-all claim Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, to the Money will be forfeited, anless, be entitled to the same privileges in regard | under peculiar circumstances, the Post to Letters sent by or addressed to them on Office of the Country in which the Order

16.—After once paying a Money Order y whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. wrong payment, however, be made owin to negligence on the part of any Officer the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the negli gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss:

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either in the United Kingdom or at Hong-kong, Shanghai or Yokohamay for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers. For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in the power of wholly suspending for a time Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 2nd weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

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CHINESE PILOTAG SERVICE.

> GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LOCAL RULES

OF SWATOW

GENERAL REGULATION I I. Bue-Laws and Local Rules.

1.-Bye-Laws and Rules necessary for the better ordering of pilotage mattern at the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Co suls and Chamber of Commerce, with whor Per doz. pts. 20s also it rests in the same way to fix the num ber of Pilots, tariff of charges, and defin the limits of the Pilotage ground, 2. The number of Pilote for the Port

Swatow shall be six. 3.-The Pilotage ground for the Port Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower limit of the anchorage Kahchio Point. 4. The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sized vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing vessels, \$2,00 per foot English measurement To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberth ing, 50 cents per foot English measure

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilots Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Fowers shall, equally with Natives of Chine and without distinction of nationality. eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appointment, sub ject to the General Regulations now issued. and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively. GENERAL REGULATION III III. Board of Appointment, how to be

The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as President, the or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and pul by the Harbour Master in consult tion with the Cousuls and Chambers of GENERAL REGULATION IV.

1. Whenever there may be a vacano mnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified local prints; and eight days afterward the Board of Appointment shall proceed fill it up by a competitive examination. 2. The Board may refuse to samit the examination any one who, having one been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License

unable to procure Consular Certificates a to Character, &c. 3.—The examination shall be public an gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be give to the most competent among the candidates without distinction of nationality. provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute. 4.—The Consul concerned may in person

withdrawn, and also any candidate who

or by deputy, be present and take part i papers, Clothes, &c., will be most the examination of candidates b.-The majority of the votes of the members of the Board shall decide the admission of candidates for Pilots Lieach member having one vote in the Balloti but in the absence of the Consu concerned the Harbour Master shall have

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses : by whom to be issued. 1. - Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government; Li- and Queries on China and Japan, published censes issued to Pilots not being natives of China shall subsequently be vised and registered at the Consulate concerned. .2 Every Licensed Pilot shall be given printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same

as well as his License when required. 3. On the first of July each year every Taels for the renewal of his License. GENERAL REGULATION VI.

Apprentice Pilots: how to be taken. 1. - it shall be allowable for each Licens Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application of Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Apprentices with special certificates.

2.- When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act tempora- (From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) rily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates competency from the Board of Appoint GENERAL REGULATION VII.

Licensed Pilots ; to whom subordinated Unlicensed Piloting, &c.

1.-Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in Companies: They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master. under whose order and control they ar placed, and who is invested with power ! suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within

2 .- If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment, has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence against Revenue Laws, the individua concerned may be suspended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, the appear to be lodged within three days. 8.—Any one piloting without a License

shall be subject to prosecution before own authorities, who will deal with the Country. Any Pilot lending his License to with in the same way, in addition to forfeit- We have thus given in outline some of 4.- Any Commanding Officer employing

Hundred Table by the authorities to whose jurisdiction he is amenable. GENERAL REGULATION VIII.

Pilot Boate ! Regulations to be observed. their crews at the Harbour Master's Office, dings, and general characteristics, that we where each boat will be given a certificate and number. The words "Licensed Pilot Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly painted at the stern, and on the head of the accurate notion of the relative position of Mainsail; and a flag, of which the upper its divisions, streets, and places. horizontal half shall be yellow, and the in the introductory chapter to the notices. lower green, shall be flown. Such registered Pilot Boats shall deposit their national
papers with their Consul or the Customs; with remarks on its government, geography, sference.

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Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employés belonging to either Customs or Barbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or Light ships.
2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay

a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of Licause on the first of July each year. 3. - In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mas-

4.—The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.-A registered Filot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Filot or certificated Ap-

prentice on board. GENERAL REGULATION JX. Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the vessal is from Hongkong, Japan, or any

A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel

A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the years! has gunpowder or other combustibles on board.

GENERAL REGULATION X. Harbour Pilote: Pessels in Barbour. Berthing, &c.

.-The duties of the Harbour Pilot where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and rom a wharf or out of the anchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river

2. -In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Officers and Consignees and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths (not assigned to them shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with. 3.—Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Harbour Master, and they are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission.

4.—The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable to the Harbour Master are as follows :--Shifting a vessel's berth ; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN." EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Strasts Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark opon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the aubject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success. we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt the numbers for the current year of 'Notes and Queries," a most deserving Angle-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

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